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1. The Yugoslav border defenses facing Hungary and Rumania were reorganized in the spring of 1949.
2. Officers regarded Genleit Velimir TERZIC \* as responsible for the reorganization of the border defense. TERZIC was in charge of the border defense in this sector. His headquarters was located in NOVI SAD (Y 16/X 77).  
  
TERZIC was very intelligent and claimed to be strictly a soldier. His father had been a general in the former royal Yugoslav Army.
3. The entire border area from MARIBOR (Y 2/S 27) to BELA CRKVA (Y 18/Z 01) was subdivided into sections ("Otseci"), each section being subdivided into three subsections ("Pod Otseci").
4. Senior officers with permanent headquarters were in charge of the sections. The section headquarters remained at their stations despite possible shifting or relieving of troop units.
5. All military forces, whether Army or "AKOJ" units, were subordinated to the commanding officer of the section. "COBa" offices were also allegedly under his command.
6. The following section headquarters were known:

Section No. 3: MARIBOR (Y 2/S 27)  
CO: Col Predrag BOPOVIC (officer of the former Royal Yugoslav Army)

Section No. 5: VARAZDIN (Y 3/S 74)  
CO: Col Momcilo MIKIC (officer of the former Royal Yugoslav Army)

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Section No. 7: BJANOVAN (Y 4/A 20)  
 Section No. 9: JAKOVAN (Y 4/F 57)  
 Section No. 11: JOSJAK (Y 5/G 67)  
 Sections No. 13  
 and 15 : SUBOTICA (Y 6/S 86)  
 Section No. 17: KANJIZA (Y 7/T 33)  
 Section No. 19: VAL. KIKINDA (Y 7/T 33)  
 Section No. 21: VAL. BECKENK (Y 17/Y 23)  
 Section No. 23: VRBAC (Y 18/J 94)  
 Section No. 25: BELA GRABA (Y 18/Z 01) .

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Comment:

\* A Genleit Venimir POKZIC was CINC of the First Army in NIS up to mid-1948. He has not been mentioned by newspapers since that time. He was reidentified in NOVI SAD in April 1949, allegedly as CINC of the Third Army. The report at least confirms that Genleit POKZIC holds an appointment in the NOVI SAD area.

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